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Legal documents copied with neatness and despatch by Miss MAMIE L. ROWLAND, 1887tf Paw Paw, Mich.

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I have just purchased a new stock of crockery, and have my store packed full of goods. I sell crockery cheaper than the cheapest. Call and be convinced that this is no humbug. 67tf LUKE GILBERT, Paw Paw, Mich.

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### Photographs.

I take pleasure in announcing to the public that I have opened my Picture Gallery, at my old stand, on Main St., in Paw Paw. My apparatus is entirely new, and of the most approved pattern, and I am prepared to take pictures of all kinds in the highest style of art. Give me a call and I am sure I can please you. 51tf JOHN HODGES.

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House Painting, Paper Hanging, Ceiling Decorating and Alabastering. Shop and residence on Elm Street. 1565tf

### Insurance.

The Peoples' Co-operative and Mutual Benefit Society of Battle Creek, insure people from 50 to 80 years old. 1569tf E. W. Rice, Agent, Paw Paw.

### For Sale.

A convenient house of eight rooms, and one, or two, lots on North Brown St., with plenty of apples and small fruit. Enquire on the premises of 67413679 S. T. BOWEN, Paw Paw.

### Jewelry.

I have removed my shop to Geo. W. Longwell's store, where I am prepared to clean and repair watches and jewelry of all kinds. I shall also keep in stock a good assortment of jewelry. 1565tf PETER MACRELLAR.

### Dissolution Notice.

A. Johnson and E. W. Rice, by mutual consent, have dissolved the partnership heretofore existing between them. All accounts will be settled by E. W. Rice, who will continue the business. 156912670

### Wyandotte Eggs.

Eggs from pure bred Wyandotte chickens, price \$1.50 per setting of 15 eggs. Carefully packed and sent by express to any address, on receipt of price. MARION O. ROWLAND, Paw Paw, Mich.

### For Sale.

My farm of 80 acres, situated one mile north-west of Lawton. 8 acres of timber—partially seeded—good fruit—6 acres natural grass land. Terms reasonable. Enquire at NORTHERNER office or of Mrs. E. A. Davis, Lawton Mich. 1567ly

### Wanted.

A few first class Agents to sell the Singer Manufacturing Company's Improved Machine in Van Buren Co. The most liberal terms offered to good men. Apply to 16691tf THE SINGER MANUFACTURING CO., Kalamazoo, Mich.

### Public Examinations.

The following schedule of dates for public examinations of teachers for the ensuing school year, will not be changed: Bangor, February 28, 1885; Paw Paw, March 27 and 28, 1885; Bloomingdale, April 25, 1885; Deatur, June 6, 1885. 58tf A. C. MARTIN, Sec. Board of Ex'm's.

### Printer's Photographs, Pictures, Etc.

Printer's is the place to get Photographs done up in the latest style of the art, elegant scenery and accessories. Also a very fine assortment of Picture Frames, Cabinet Frames, Easels, etc. All as low as the lowest. A fine display of Christmas Cards at all prices. 51tf

### Taken Up.

On the 14th day of April, a two year's old roan heifer, black and white. The owner can obtain the same by calling at my place in Almena, proving property and paying charges, including cost of this notice. 7019672. ABRAHAM SHAW.

### For Sale.

I offer, for sale, my horse and carriage, two robes, net, and all their fixtures. The horse is 9 years old, a very kind family horse. 701tf NANCY S. WEBB, Pine Grove, Mich.

### Farm For Sale.

For the purpose of settling the estate of the late Eliza Durkee, the farm of 140 acres, belonging to said estate, situated one mile north of Lawton, in this county, will be sold on reasonable terms. 105 acres improved, 35 acres of good timber, good buildings in excellent condition, 35 acres well seeded, finely located for fruit culture. For terms enquire at this office or on the premises. 1559tf

### To Whom it May Concern.

Notice is hereby given that my signature to a promissory note conditioned for the payment of the sum of seven hundred and fifty (750.00) dollars, running to A. J. Davis or bearer, and bearing date April 8th, 1885, was obtained by fraud and misrepresentation, and I never received any value for said note, and I caution the public not to purchase said note, as I shall never pay it. At the time of my signing the said note "full payment and satisfaction thereof" was endorsed upon the back of said note by said A. J. Davis. Respectfully, NELSON ROWE. Dated Hartford, Mich., April 14, 1885.

### Local Department.

Hartford has a law and order league consisting of 60 members. N. Grover Esq. of Jackson, Mich., was in town the fore part of the week.

Jay proposes, this week, to handle his customers and patrons with gloves.

Capt. Wm. Kelly is the first man of the season to trot out a barefooted boy.

Romano Backhouse has a new "Young Wilkes" horse colt, of which he is very proud.

The Shakerian entertainment to be given by the school, has been postponed to future date.

The north-western Michigan sheep shearing festival will be held at Kalamazoo on Friday the 24th.

We received a brief but pleasant call, on Monday last, from Major Duncan of the Niles Republican.

Teachers' examination at Bloomingdale next Saturday. Examination will begin at eight o'clock a. m.

Our school was dismissed on Friday last, to afford our teachers an opportunity to attend the institute at Hartford.

O. W. and his brother Elvin took their annual trip down the river, from this village to Lawrence, on Thursday last.

Miss Nora Muncher commenced her spring term of school in Cobbletown district, on Monday last, after a vacation of two weeks.

Mr. Luther Dean of South Haven, formerly of this township, was buried on Wednesday, April 23d. He died of consumption.

Capt. Smith of the "Long Brick" calls attention this week, to his mammoth stock of clothing. The Capt. has got lots of it, and sells at reasonable prices.

E. T. Chappell & Son call attention in a new "ad" to their new luster band, and colored glass ware. They have an elegant stock of it.

Prof. L. A. Lucas, the proprietor and manager of the only and original Virginia jubilee singers has taken his departure for the city of beer—Toledo. May good luck go with him.

The Waverly grangers had a great time at their "night cap" social last Friday evening. They were so well pleased that they propose to hold another one on Friday evening of next week.

We visited Wilber Babcock's barn the other day and looked over the stock. He has kept 19 fine horses there during the winter and has a well arranged and convenient barn. Wilber is a thorough horseman.

A game of polo was played at St. Joseph last Thursday evening between the St. Joseph club and the Paw Paw's; score 3 to 1 in favor of the home club. Our boys say that the St. Joseph club is composed of thorough gentlemen to say the least.

We have received from the office of the secretary of state, a copy of the "Michigan Manual" for 1885, a book replete with valuable information concerning our state, its institutions and political history. As a handy book of reference it is invaluable.

The newly elected board of supervisors of Allegan county stands 14 republican, 6 democrats and 4 fusion. The Berrien county board stands, 14 republicans, 7 democrats and 7 greenbackers. Cass county elected 10 democratic and 6 republican supervisors.

Two things operate to make Wint. Reynolds happy. He was elected constable, which he cares comparatively little about, and a son was born to him on Wednesday morning last, which he cares a good deal about. In fact he is very proud of the boy.

The Antwerp social club held their first regular meeting at the residence of Miles F. Beebe. Impromptu speaking, vocal and instrumental music and warm sing, served to while away the time. Although it was dark and rainy, nearly every member was present.

Mr. G. W. Nafziger of Waverly, informs us that notwithstanding the severity of the weather he has lost but 13 per cent of his bees this winter, at present having 116 thrifty colonies. Mr. N. is to be congratulated, as many of our bee men report severe losses.

Messrs. Stickney & Swick, cattle buyers, recently purchased from S. S. Fuller Esq., of Arlington, for the Chicago market, ten head of young cattle weighing 12,125 pounds. The party to whom they were shipped, pronounced them the finest lot of Michigan cattle he ever handled.

Mr. Ozias Osborne, late a member of the 3d Michigan cavalry, and who, for many years, was a pauper at our county house, who received a large pension a year or so ago, died in Chicago on Tuesday last week. Mr. Osborne was crippled with rheumatism so that he was almost helpless.

The electrical entertainment, held at the school building last Wednesday evening, was an eminent success, resulting in something over \$18, to be applied toward the school library fund. An effort is being made to rearrange the old library, so long neglected, and make it the nucleus of the new.

We notice that parties in various localities in south western Michigan are preparing to enter upon the business of celery culture. There is an abundance of land in this vicinity well calculated to grow this popular vegetable. We doubt not that the business, if tried on such lands, would prove successful and profitable.

One day last week, while Mrs. I. B. Conner was attending to her duties in school, Mr. and Mrs. Will Thayer came to town. Will engaged Ike at his office and Mrs. Will bargained to enter Ike's house and left on the table a beautiful china tea-set. For such bargains there is no adequate punishment known to the law.

In 1876 there were 42 retail liquor dealers in Van Buren county, who paid a tax of \$4,241.05. Under the law increasing the rate of taxation this number has been decreased, so that during the past year there were but 19 dealers, paying a tax of \$5,466.08. The probabilities are that there will be a still further decrease.

We notice an item in the Watervliet Record, entitled to the *Dauoglus Times*, stating that Fred P. W. needed, either a law and order league, or a marshal with the right kind of sand in his gizzard. We beg to inform both the *Record* and the *Dauoglus Times*, whatever that may be, that Paw Paw has not only the league, but just exactly such a marshal.

Work has been resumed on the narrow gauge road between Hartford and South Haven. It is confidently expected that the road will be completed between those points some time during the summer. When this is accomplished the road from Lawton to South Haven will be a greater convenience to the people of the county than any other road within its borders.

We are under obligations to F. D. Jacobs, for a copy of "The Sacred Choir," a new song book, published by C. E. Leslie, assisted by Mr. Jacobs. Choirs will find it to be a desirable book. We think some of the best music contained in it, is that written by our friend, Prof. Jacobs, who has shown himself to be a composer of no mean ability. We congratulate him on his success in his chosen field of labor.

A burglary committed at Lacota last Thursday night, was, evidently, the work of amateurs. White's store was entered and a few goods and a small amount of money taken. The villains then visited Mrs. White's residence, no one being at home except Mrs. W. and daughter. One rascal threatened to shoot the mother if she did not keep quiet, but the plucky lady disregarded his threats, sprang from her bed and gave the alarm, at which the burglars, two in number, ineffectually took to their heels.

Mr. C. O. Scovill of Detroit, the gentleman who is to take charge of the contemplated improvements at Four Mile Lake, was in town last week looking over the grounds, laying plans etc. Work will be begun very soon, and it is expected that by the 4th of July, the place will be ready for "resorters" and other visitors. There is every prospect that that beautiful lake and its handsome surroundings will become a popular resort. A large amount of money will be expended in erecting buildings and in ornamenting and beautifying the grounds. Mr. Ithiel will, doubtless, display the same "go-ahead-iveness" and energy in this matter that have distinguished him in his railroad enterprises.

Joe, the butcher, had an 80 pound sturgeon hanging in his market last Tuesday.

New stained glass windows add very much to the appearance of the Disciple church.

Will Welch of the Agricultural college, was home last Sabbath, visiting parents and friends.

Perrin Glidden of Detroit, visited old friends and relatives here on Saturday and Sunday last.

Bowen, of the "Deep Cut," has been wholesaling. He recently sold \$1600 worth, while on the road.

The front of the "bank block," across the road from the court house, has been treated to a coat of paint by Jim Leech, the painter.

Mrs. Hattie Anderson nee Maynard, of Hartford, and her handsome babies, came here last Monday, to visit her parents and friends.

Many fruit growers think the apple crop has been badly injured by cold weather, while others report a fair prospect. We predict that there will be apples.

The ladies of the Free Baptist society will hold a social at the residence of Mrs. Matthews, on Tuesday evening of next week. Coffee and cake will be served.

C. S. Hoskins has bought A. C. Glidden's interest in the milk business, and hereafter will conduct it alone. Customers will be promptly supplied as heretofore.

We were misinformed when we stated that sheriff Todd assisted George Dixon in the removal of his harness shop. The sheriff had nothing to do with it. George did his own moving.

J. H. Haynes, Decatur's great chicken man, called on us last Monday. Joe was one of the friends of our boyhood's days, and we are always glad to give him a shake-up of the hand.

The following is a list of the letters remaining uncalled for, in our postoffice, for the week ending Monday, April 20th: Brittelle, A. M.; Buck, Willis; Delamarter, John; Linnaburg, Henry M.; Lyle, Melvin; Northrup, L. L.; Parker, A.

Elder Brooks preached his farewell discourse last Sunday. He will remove to Illinois, where, judging from past experience, he will enjoy better health than in Michigan. He and his estimable wife will carry with them the best wishes of a host of warm friends.

The warm weather of the last three or four days—mercury ranging from 60° to 75° degrees, is a forcible reminder that summer is coming. Farmers are busily engaged doing their spring's work, which, owing to the backwardness of the season is considerably behind-hand.

We have been shown by Mr. Jos. Davey, who will have charge of its erection, the architect's drawings of the proposed, new Four Mile Lake house. It will be an elegant building, provided with all the necessities and luxuries of a first class modern hotel. Its estimated cost is about \$5,000.

Teachers who fail to receive certificates sometimes blame the examiners, and even go so far as to accuse them of purposely marking their standing too low. As an illustration of this, Miss Jane Smith—we call her Jane Smith because that is not her name—reported that she was purposely marked down in history, although the examiner who marked her paper did not know her from Eve. Now, out of a list of ten easy questions, Jane attempted to answer but seven, which, if the answers had been correct would have entitled her to a mark of 70. As a specimen of how she answered them, we give the following: Question, "How did England injure the United States during the late rebellion?" Answer, "By blockading the southern ports, and sending armies over here to be sold cheaper than they could be got here." Comment is unnecessary.

### How Tax Rolls are Made.

A gentleman, who is thoroughly posted concerning the matters he speaks of, sends us the following communication with reference to the way tax rolls are sometimes made out.

"People complain, and with apparent reason, that the tax roll is too frequently made out in the supervisors' office, evolved from his own consciousness, without consulting the parties interested. This is all wrong; the law requires that the supervisor should visit every tax payer, and ascertain by personal inspection, of the property to be assessed, and by interview with the owner, the amount and value of the property. This is the lawful way; but, unfortunately, the people sometimes elect a supervisor who utterly neglects this palpably just course, and pursues his own pleasure and convenience, and, in the end, relies on former rolls however imperfect, for the descriptions and valuation of property, making rough guesses at the personal property."

### Circuit Court.

BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS.

G. W. Myers vs. Chauncey Wisco et al. Assumpsit. Judgment for plaintiff, by default, \$1,083.06 and costs.

Burroughs Brothers vs. Joseph Speicher. Assumpsit. Trial by jury. Verdict, no cause of action. Judgment of costs for defendant.

Peter Hayden vs. John Lyle et al. Motion for new trial. Denied.

People vs. Frank Hayes. Burglary. Plead guilty. Respondent sent to Lonia for 18 months.

W. C. Spafford vs. Cyrus Sherrod. Motion granted to set aside default.

People vs. Ralph Richmond. Violation of liquor law. Respondent granted until April 24th to show cause for being allowed to change his plea of guilty.

Eleanor M. French vs. Edward French. Divorce. Decree granted.

S. B. Walton vs. H. K. Nooney. Assumpsit. Verdict for plaintiff \$4.30.

### CASES COMMENCED.

O. L. Jordan vs. Matthew Barton. Injunction bill. O. L. Jordan.

J. Riley Hanes vs. J. T. Russell. Foreclosure. O. N. Hilton.

Nelson Rowe vs. A. J. Davis. Injunction bill. O. N. Hilton and G. W. Lawton.

Ruth O. Lewis vs. Richard Lewis. Divorce. O. N. Hilton.

Martha B. Nash vs. Fabius Miles and Berthiah Miles. Foreclosure. O. N. Hilton.

Calvin Wilcox vs. W. E. Wilcox. Replevin. O. N. Hilton.

Matthew Haney vs. Agricultural Ins. Co. Assumpsit. R. F. Hecker.

Earl Matthews vs. J. G. Todd. Replevin. R. F. Hecker.